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Part 1

Summary of reports on ratified Conventions

(Articles 22 and 35 of the Constitution)

INTRODUCTION

Article 22 of the Constitution of the International Labour Organization provides that "each of the Members agrees to make an annual report to the International Labour Office on the measures which it has taken to give effect to the provisions of the Conventions to which it is a party. These reports shall be made in such form and shall contain such particulars as the Governing Body may request". Article 23 of the Constitution provides that the Director-General shall lay before the next meeting of the Conference a summary of the reports communicated to him by Members in pursuance of article 22, and that each Member shall communicate copies of these reports to the representative organizations of employers and workers.

At its 204th (November 1977) Session, the Governing Body approved the following arrangements for the presentation by the Director-General to the Conference of summaries of reports submitted by governments under article 22 of the Constitution:

(a) the practice of tabular classification of reports, without summary of their contents, which for a number of years had been followed in respect of reports subsequent to first reports after ratification, should be applied to all reports, including first reports;

(b) the Director-General should make available, for consultation at the Conference, the original texts of all reports on ratified Conventions received; in addition, photocopies of those reports should be supplied on request to members of delegations.

Requests for consultation or copies of reports may be addressed to the secretariat of the Committee on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations.

The present summary refers to reports for the period ending 30 June 1993.

The report of the Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations, which examines the report submitted under article 22 of the Constitution, is communicated separately to the Conference as Report III (Part 4A).

SUMMARY OF REPORTS RECEIVED ON THE APPLICATION OF RATIFIED CONVENTIONS

A. First reports after ratification of the Convention concerned.

B. Reports containing information on important changes in the implementation of Conventions, or information supplied in reply to observations or direct requests made by the Committee of Experts.

C. Reports containing information on the practical effect given to Conventions, or on minor changes in their implementation.

D. Reports merely repeating or referring to the information previously supplied.

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Afghanistan		100, 160		14, 41
Algeria		111, 122	32, 87	
Angola		12, 17, 18, 26, 29, 81, 88, 91, 108	68, 89, 92, 98, 100 111	1, 6, 7, 45
Antigua and Barbuda		17, 29, 81, 87, 98, 111	138	11, 19, 105
Argentina		3, 17, 42, 81, 129	12	1, 2, 29, 98, 100, 151
Australia	156	29, 81, 100, 159	12, 88	
Norfolk Island			98	

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Austria		6, 26, 29, 81, 100, 103, 111	12, 17, 42, 88, 102, 128	45
Azerbaijan				90
Bahrain		29		89
Bangladesh		29, 81, 87, 89	149	18, 45
Barbados			102, 128	
Belarus		98, 100, 149	29	45, 79, 90
Belgium	151	6, 29, 81, 100, 122, 138, 147	1, 12, 13, 88, 98, 101, 120, 121, 144, 149, 154	45, 77, 102, 124
Belize		143		
Benin		26, 29, 85, 100	87, 98	6, 18, 41
Bolivia	105, 162, 169	81, 88, 89, 100, 111, 122, 129, 160	5, 102, 121, 128,	45, 90, 98
Brazil	115, 139, 147, 161, 162	29, 42, 88, 89, 92, 94, 100, 107, 111, 127, 148	45, 97, 98, 152	6, 108

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Bulgaria		1, 3, 9, 26, 30	68	
Burundi		29		
Cambodia				6
Cameroon	162	3, 9, 111, 122, 143, 158	11, 87, 131, 146	97, 106
Canada	162	100	88	1, 108
Cape Verde		29, 81, 100, 111	98	17, 19, 105
Chad				6, 7
Chile		2, 6, 9, 29, 100, 111	14, 30	1, 45
China	100, 144	26, 159		7, 11
Colombia	169	12, 17, 18, 22, 26, 29, 81, 88, 100, 129, 159	2, 98	4
Costa Rica	8, 16	29, 81, 87, 88, 98, 100, 111, 122, 131, 135, 147, 148	1, 102, 127, 138, 144	11, 45, 89, 90, 92, 113, 120, 134, 137

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Côte d'Ivoire		29, 81, 96, 100, 111, 129, 136	52, 98, 144	6, 18, 41, 45
Croatia	29, 111	87, 98, 135		
Cuba		29, 79, 81, 88, 90, 100, 111, 148	98, 151, 155	12, 17, 42, 45
Cyprus	154, 155	151, 158, 159	81, 88, 102, 128	29, 45, 89, 90, 98, 141
Czech Republic		98		
Denmark		29, 81, 88, 98, 100, 126, 129, 147, 148, 149, 151, 152, 160	6, 12, 42	108
Faeroe Islands			98	6, 12, 18, 29
Greenland			6	29
Djibouti		17, 18, 81, 88, 108		1, 6, 9, 11, 12, 26, 29, 45, 87, 89, 91, 98, 99, 100, 126
Dominica		16, 26, 29, 81	111	11, 14, 19, 22, 94, 97, 98, 100, 105, 138

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Dominican Republic		29, 79, 81, 88, 89, 90, 98, 100	45	
Ecuador	162	88, 100, 110, 111, 122, 131, 148, 149, 159	119, 128, 152	45, 120, 127, 144
Egypt	150	9, 17, 18, 29, 63, 73, 81, 88, 89, 95, 96, 100, 106, 111, 139, 145, 147, 148, 159	56, 62, 87, 94, 98, 134	2, 45, 152
El Salvador		107, 159		
Equatorial Guinea		1		
Ethiopia	96, 106, 155, 156, 158, 159	88, 98, 111	2, 87	
Fiji		29, 98	85, 108	12, 45, 105
Finland	132, 146	9, 81, 88, 98, 100, 147, 148, 149, 154, 155, 156, 159, 160, 161, 162	2, 129, 151	12, 29, 45, 108
France	138	42, 53, 125, 131, 146, 147, 156	9, 12, 17, 69, 74, 102, 108, 141	3, 92, 126

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Overseas Departments:				
French Guiana		53, 126, 131, 146, 147	12, 17, 69, 74, 108, 141	3, 11, 92, 125
Guadeloupe		53, 126, 131, 146, 147	12, 17, 69, 74, 108, 141	3, 11, 92, 125
Martinique		53, 126, 131, 146, 147	12, 17, 69, 74, 108, 141	3, 11, 92, 125
Reunion		53, 126, 131, 146, 147	12, 17, 69, 74, 108, 141	3, 11, 92, 125
Territorial Community of St. Pierre and Miquelon		19, 53, 126, 131, 146, 147	9, 12, 17, 69, 108, 141	3, 11, 125
Overseas Territories:				
French Polynesia		19, 42, 100, 127, 147	81, 88, 98, 108, 129	6, 12, 17, 45, 89
New Caledonia		142, 146, 147	81, 88, 98, 100, 129	29, 108

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
French Southern and Antarctic Territories	15, 53, 69, 74			
Gabon		29		45
Germany	133	29, 81, 100, 111, 121, 125, 128, 129, 147	53, 87, 98, 159	12, 45
Ghana		22, 103, 150	98	
Greece		17, 29, 42, 81, 100, 142, 156, 159	71, 88, 98, 108, 135	45, 90
Guatemala	138, 162	26, 99, 110, 122, 131	97, 104, 119	14, 58, 112, 120
Haiti				45
Honduras		111, 122	12, 17, 42	
Hungary	163, 164	29, 98, 100	2, 87, 159	6, 45
Iceland	122, 139, 155, 159	100, 102, 111	2, 87, 98, 108	29
India		107, 111	11, 81	45

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Indonesia			100, 106	45
Islamic Republic of Iran		100		108
Iraq	167	17, 19, 29, 81, 100, 108, 111, 118, 131, 136, 139, 147, 143	98, 135, 138, 140, 146, 149	105, 132
Ireland		132	81, 88, 100, 102, 142, 159	6, 12, 29, 63
Israel	133	92, 111	81, 88, 102	29, 79
Italy	133	29, 103, 149	12, 32, 42, 98, 108, 127, 144, 151	
Jamaica		111, 122	11, 26, 87, 149	
Japan		29, 81, 100	88, 102	45
Jordan		29, 81, 100, 106, 111, 117, 118, 120, 122, 142	98, 119, 135	105
Kenya	146	17, 29, 81, 88, 129, 132	98	2, 12, 45, 59, 63, 89

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Kuwait		29, 81, 89	1, 30, 87, 119	136
Lao People's Democratic Republic		4, 6, 13, 29		
Lebanon		17, 19, 52, 59, 81, 88, 89, 95, 100, 106, 111, 115, 120, 122, 131	5, 98, 127	1, 30
Lesotho				19, 26, 29
Libyan Arab Jamahiriya			1, 100, 102, 121, 128, 130	
Luxembourg		100, 102, 121	12, 81	79, 90, 98
Madagascar		81, 100, 111, 118, 129		6, 12, 41
Malawi		26, 98, 99, 111		11, 97
Malaysia		29, 81, 88	98	45
Peninsular Malaysia		12, 17		
Mali		29, 81, 100	17, 18, 98, 111	6, 41

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Malta	149	13, 81, 96, 159	2, 26, 88, 99, 100, 111, 135, 138, 141	11, 12, 21, 29, 45, 62, 98, 108, 124, 129
Mauritania		29, 81, 87, 111, 118	102	17, 18, 89, 90, 122
Mauritius		17, 19, 42, 81, 98	2, 12, 108	
Mexico	96, 163, 164, 166	90, 100, 155, 160, 161	12, 102	29, 42, 45
Mongolia		111	122	
Morocco		100		
Myanmar		17, 26, 52, 63	2, 87	6, 42
Netherlands		29, 81, 100, 126, 129, 156	12, 88, 151	17, 90, 113, 159
Aruba		69, 74, 131, 137, 146	87, 122, 144	9, 11, 118
Netherlands Antilles		58, 81, 122	87	11, 12, 29, 42, 45, 88, 89, 90
New Zealand		17, 42, 100	81, 88	29

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Tokelau		100		29
Nicaragua		9, 12, 17, 18, 29, 88, 136, 139	87, 98, 100, 111, 127	4, 6, 45
Niger		81, 100, 111, 138, 158	18, 87, 102, 131, 154	6, 41, 98
Nigeria		29, 81, 88		45, 105
Norway	149, 168	91, 100, 111, 147, 148, 156	12, 42, 81, 88, 108, 159	29, 98, 129, 151, 154
Pakistan		59, 96		1, 16
Panama		8, 9, 26, 29, 52, 68, 73, 92, 98, 100, 110, 122, 126	42, 127	1, 12, 27, 45, 58, 89, 112
Papua New Guinea				42
Paraguay		29, 81, 100, 107, 111, 115, 122	1, 26, 99, 120	11, 79, 89, 90, 119
Peru		1, 12, 26, 29, 41, 53, 68, 79, 87, 88, 90, 99, 100, 106, 111, 122, 139, 156 159	9, 58, 98, 112, 152	20, 27, 45

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Philippines	159	17, 88, 89, 90, 100, 149	98	
Poland	133, 141, 160	2, 29, 35, 36, 37, 38, 39, 40, 100, 134, 149	12, 14, 17, 42, 98, 99, 119	24, 45, 79, 90, 127, 151
Portugal		29, 81, 98, 100, 108, 127, 129, 147, 148, 149, 155, 156	12, 18, 88, 151	6, 45
Qatar		81, 100		
Romania		29, 81, 100, 111, 129	88, 98, 127, 138	6, 89
Russian Federation	133, 147, 160	29, 98, 108, 159	11, 87, 134, 149	45, 47, 79, 90, 100
Rwanda		12, 17, 18, 81, 100	98, 135	42, 89
San Marino		100, 143, 148, 161	98, 159	144, 151
Saudi Arabia		29, 81, 100	1, 30	45, 89, 90
Senegal		29, 81, 100	102	6, 12, 89, 98, 121
Sierra Leone		29, 81, 88	98, 100	32, 45, 59

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Singapore		5		
Slovakia	29, 88, 111, 155, 159	45, 89, 90, 98	12, 17, 18, 26, 42, 52, 95, 99	1, 13, 115, 136, 139, 148, 161
Slovenia	29, 100, 111, 148, 155, 156, 162	81, 87, 89, 90, 98, 122, 129, 131, 135	2, 12, 17, 18, 88, 92, 158, 159	11, 14, 27, 32, 45, 106, 119, 132
Solomon Islands			108	
South Africa		2, 42, 45, 89		
Spain	164, 166	45, 96, 100, 103, 111, 137, 147, 148, 155, 156, 158	12, 42, 88, 98, 127, 129, 151, 154, 159	79, 90
Sri Lanka		5, 81	98	
Sudan		2, 81, 100, 111		105
Suriname		17, 29, 41, 42, 81, 88, 118		135, 151
Swaziland		29, 81, 98, 100		12, 45, 89, 90
Sweden	133, 138, 163, 164, 168	29, 111, 143, 156	47, 81, 92, 108, 129, 146	

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Switzerland		29, 81, 100, 120, 160	2, 18, 87, 88, 154, 159	6, 45, 151
Syrian Arab Republic		81, 100, 106	1, 2, 95, 117, 119, 131	17, 45, 89, 120, 144
United Republic of Tanzania		29, 88, 148, 149	16, 85, 98	12, 19, 45
Tanganyika		81		
Zanzibar		58		
Thailand		123, 127		105
Togo		29, 100		6, 41, 85, 98
Trinidad and Tobago		29, 111	87	97
Tunisia		29, 81, 113, 159	98, 100, 108	12, 17, 18, 45, 89, 90, 127
Turkey		58, 100, 122	88, 98	5, 45, 127
Uganda	154, 158	17, 29, 81, 98	159	12, 45, 162

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Ukraine	160	29, 98, 100, 108, 149	120	45, 79, 90
United Arab Emirates		81		1
United Kingdom		29, 81, 98, 100, 147, 148, 160	12, 108	
Anguilla		17, 29, 85, 108		12, 42, 98
Bermuda	133	17, 147		12, 29, 42, 98, 108
British Virgin Islands		17		12, 29, 85, 98, 108
Falkland Islands (Malvinas)		17		12, 29, 42, 45, 108
Guernsey		148	12, 17, 42, 81	29, 108
Hong Kong	23, 133	14, 29, 147, 151	2, 12, 17, 42, 81, 108	45, 90
Isle of Man		81, 147	42, 98, 102, 108	12, 29
Jersey		81, 160	2, 17	12, 29, 42, 108

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Montserrat			108	12, 17, 29, 42, 85, 98
St. Helena				85, 98, 108, 151
United States		53		
American Samoa		53		
Guam		53		
Pacific Islands (Trust Territory)		53		
Palau		53		
Puerto Rico		53		
United States Virgin Islands		53		
Uruguay	133	73, 81, 100, 108, 118, 129, 148, 149, 150, 155, 156, 159, 161	98, 121, 128, 151, 154	79, 90

Country	A Conventions Nos.	B Conventions Nos.	C Conventions Nos.	D Conventions Nos.
Venezuela		22, 27, 29, 41, 81, 97, 100, 111, 149, 150, 156	11, 87, 98, 102, 120, 138	6, 45, 88, 122
Yemen		81, 95, 100, 131	87, 98, 111, 135	
Zaire			102	
Zambia		29, 100, 149, 150, 154, 158	151	17, 18, 45, 89
Zimbabwe			144	12, 14, 45, 100

Part 2

Summary of reports on the
Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organize
Convention, 1948 (No. 87) and the
Right to Organize and Collective Bargaining Convention, 1949 (No. 98)

(Article 19 of the Constitution)

INTRODUCTION

Article 19 of the Constitution of the International Labour Organization prescribes, in paragraphs 5, 6 and 7, that Members shall bring the Conventions and Recommendations adopted by the International Labour Conference before the competent authorities within a specified period. Under the same provisions the governments of member States shall inform the Director-General of the International Labour Office of the measures taken to submit the Conventions and Recommendations to the competent authorities, and also communicate particulars of the authority or authorities regarded as competent, and of the action taken by them.

In accordance with article 23 of the Constitution a summary of the information communicated in pursuance of article 19 is submitted to the Conference. The present summary contains information relating to the submission to the competent authorities of the Conventions and Recommendations adopted by the Conference at its 79th Session held in Geneva from 3 to 23 June 1992.

The period of one year provided for the submission to the competent authorities of the instruments in question expired on 23 June 1993 and the period of 18 months on 23 December 1993.

The present report also contains a summary of additional information relating to the submission to the competent authorities of the Conventions and Recommendations adopted by the Conference at its 31st to 78th Sessions (1948 to 1991). The information summarised in this report consists of communications which were forwarded to the Director-General of the International Labour Office after the close of the 80th Session of the Conference and which could not, therefore, be laid before the Conference at that session.

The report of the Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations, which examines the information submitted under article 19 of the Constitution, is communicated separately to the Conference as Report III (Part 4A).

REPORTS REQUESTED AND RECEIVED ON CONVENTIONS NOS. 87 AND 98

(Article 19 of the Constitution)

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
AFGHANISTAN		X		X
ALBANIA	1957		1957	
ALGERIA	1962		1962	
ANGOLA		R	1976	
ANTIGUA AND BARBUDA	1983		1983	
ARGENTINA	1960		1956	
ARMENIA		X		X
AUSTRALIA	1973		1973	
AUSTRIA	1950		1951	
AZERBAIJAN	1992		1992	
BAHAMAS		X	1976	
BAHRAIN		X		X
BANGLADESH	1972		1972	

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
BARBADOS	1967		1967	
BELARUS	1956		1956	
BELGIUM	1951		1953	
BELIZE	1983		1983	
BENIN	1960		1968	
BOLIVIA	1965		1973	
BOSNIA AND HERZEGOVINA	1993		1993	
BOTSWANA		R		R
BRAZIL		R	1952	
BULGARIA	1959		1959	
BURKINA FASO	1960		1962	
BURUNDI	1993			R
CAMBODIA		R		R
CAMEROON	1960		1962	
CANADA	1972			R
CAPE VERDE		R	1979	
CENTRAL AFRICAN REPUBLIC	1960		1964	

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
CHAD	1960		1961	
CHILE		R		R
CHINA		R		R
COLOMBIA	1976		1976	
COMOROS	1978		1978	
CONGO	1960			X
COSTA RICA	1960		1960	
COTE D'IVOIRE	1960		1961	
CROATIA	1993		1993	
CUBA	1952		1952	
CYPRUS	1966		1966	
CZECH REPUBLIC	1964		1964	
DENMARK	1951		1955	
DJIBOUTI	1978		1978	
DOMINICA	1983		1983	
DOMINICAN REPUBLIC	1956		1953	
ECUADOR	1967		1959	

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
EGYPT	1957		1954	
EL SALVADOR		R		R
EQUATORIAL GUINEA		X		X
ERITREA		X		X
ESTONIA		R		R
ETHIOPIA	1963		1963	
FIJI		X	1974	
FINLAND	1950		1951	
FRANCE	1951		1951	
GABON	1960		1961	
GEORGIA		X		X
GERMANY	1957		1956	
GHANA	1965		1959	
GREECE	1962		1962	
GRENADA		R	1979	
GUATEMALA	1952		1952	
GUINEA	1959		1959	

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
GUINEA-BISSAU		X	1977	
GUYANA	1967		1966	
HAITI	1979		1957	
HONDURAS	1956		1956	
HUNGARY	1957		1957	
ICELAND	1950		1952	
INDIA		X		X
INDONESIA		R	1957	
IRAN, ISLAMIC REPUBLIC OF		R		R
IRAQ		R	1962	
IRELAND	1955		1955	
ISRAEL	1957		1957	
ITALY	1958		1958	
JAMAICA	1962		1962	
JAPAN	1965		1953	
JORDAN		X	1968	
KAZAKHSTAN		X		X

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
KENYA		R	1964	
KOREA, REPUBLIC OF		R		R
KUWAIT	1961			R
KYRGYZSTAN	1992		1992	
LAO PEOPLE'S DEMOCRATIC REP.		X		X
LATVIA	1992		1992	
LEBANON		R	1977	
LESOTHO	1966		1966	
LIBERIA	1962		1962	
LIBYAN ARAB JAMAHIRIYA		X	1962	
LITHUANIA		X		X
LUXEMBOURG	1958		1958	
MADAGASCAR	1960			R
MALAWI		R	1965	
MALAYSIA		R	1961	
MALI	1960		1964	
MALTA	1965		1965	

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
MAURITANIA	1961			X
MAURITIUS		R	1969	
MEXICO	1950			R
MOLDOVA, REPUBLIC OF		X		X
MONGOLIA	1969		1969	
MOROCCO		R	1957	
MOZAMBIQUE		X		X
MYANMAR	1955			R
NAMIBIA		X		X
NEPAL		X		X
NETHERLANDS	1950		1993	R
NEW ZEALAND		R		R
NICARAGUA	1967		1967	
NIGER	1961		1962	
NIGERIA	1960		1960	
NORWAY	1949		1955	
PAKISTAN	1951		1952	

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
PANAMA	1958		1966	
PAPUA NEW GUINEA		X	1976	
PARAGUAY	1962		1966	
PERU	1960		1964	
PHILIPPINES	1953		1953	
POLAND	1957		1957	
PORTUGAL	1977		1964	
QATAR		X		X
ROMANIA	1957		1958	
RUSSIAN FEDERATION	1956		1956	
RWANDA	1988		1988	
SAINT LUCIA	1980		1980	
SAN MARINO	1986		1986	
SAO TOME AND PRINCIPE	1992		1992	
SAUDI ARABIA		R		R
SENEGAL	1960		1961	
SEYCHELLES	1978			X

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
SIERRA LEONE	1961		1961	
SINGAPORE		R	1965	
SLOVAKIA	1993		1993	
SLOVENIA	1992		1992	
SOLOMON ISLANDS		X		X
SOMALIA		X		X
SPAIN	1977		1977	
SRI LANKA		R	1972	
SUDAN		R	1957	
SURINAME	1976			R
SWAZILAND	1978		1978	
SWEDEN	1949		1950	
SWITZERLAND	1975			R
SYRIAN ARAB REPUBLIC	1960		1957	
TANZANIA, UNITED REPUBLIC OF		R	1962	
THAILAND		R		R
THE FORMER YUGOSLAV REPUBLIC OF MACEDONIA		X		X

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
TOGO	1960		1983	
TRINIDAD AND TOBAGO	1963		1963	
TUNISIA	1957		1957	
TURKEY	1993		1952	
UGANDA		R	1963	
UKRAINE	1956		1956	
UNITED ARAB EMIRATES		X		X
UNITED KINGDOM	1949		1950	
UNITED STATES		R		R
URUGUAY	1954		1954	
UZBEKISTAN		X		X
VENEZUELA	1982		1968	
VIET NAM		X		X
YEMEN	1976		1969	
YUGOSLAVIA	1958		1958	
ZAIRE		X	1969	

Member States	Convention No. 87		Convention No. 98	
	Year of Ratification	Article 19	Year of Ratification	Article 19
ZAMBIA		R		R
ZIMBABWE		R		R

R = Report received
X = Report not received

Part 3

Summary of information relating to the submission to the competent authorities of Conventions and Recommendations adopted by the International Labour Conference

(Article 19 of the Constitution)

INTRODUCTION

Article 19 of the Constitution of the International Labour Organization provides that Members shall "report to the Director-General of the International Labour Office, at appropriate intervals as requested by the Governing Body" on the position of their law and practice in regard to the matters dealt with in unratified Conventions and Recommendations. The obligations of Members as regards Conventions are laid down in paragraph 5(e) of the above-mentioned article. Paragraph 6(d) deals with Recommendations, and paragraph 7(a) and (b) deals with the particular obligations of federal States. Article 23 of the Constitution provides that the Director-General shall lay before the next meeting of the Conference a summary of the reports communicated to him by Members in pursuance of article 19, and that each Member shall communicate copies of these reports to the representative organisations of employers and workers.

Pursuant to the above-mentioned provisions, the Governing Body selects each year the instruments on which Members are requested to supply reports. Since 1950 the summaries of these reports have been submitted each year to the Conference.

At its 218th (November 1981) Session, the Governing Body decided to discontinue the publication of summaries of reports on unratified Conventions and on Recommendations and to publish only a list of reports received, on the understanding that the Director-General would make available for consultation at the Conference the originals of all reports received and that copies of reports would be available to members of delegations on request.

Requests for consultation or copies of reports may be addressed to the secretariat of the Committee on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations.

The reports which are listed below refer to the Freedom of Association and Protection of the Right to Organize Convention, 1948 (No. 87) and the Right to Organize and Collective Bargaining Convention, 1949 (No. 98).

The governments of member States were requested to send their reports to the International Labour Office by 1 July 1993.

The report of the Committee of Experts on the Application of Conventions and Recommendations, which will be submitted to the Conference at its 81st (1994) Session, will include a general survey on the reports on the above-mentioned Conventions (Report III, Part 4B).

LIST OF INSTRUMENTS ADOPTED BY THE CONFERENCE AT ITS 68th TO 79th SESSIONS

68th Session (1982)

Maintenance of Social Security Rights Convention (No. 157);

Termination of Employment Convention (No. 158);

Termination of Employment Recommendation (No. 166);

Protocol to the Plantations Convention, 1958 (No. 110).

69th Session (1983)

Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (Disabled Persons) Convention (No. 159);

Maintenance of Social Security Rights Recommendation (No. 167);

Vocational Rehabilitation and Employment (Disabled Persons) Recommendation (No. 168).

70th Session (1984)

Employment Policy (Supplementary Provisions) Recommendation (No. 169).

71st Session (1985)

Labour Statistics Convention (No. 160);

Occupational Health Services Convention (No. 161);

Labour Statistics Recommendation (No. 170);

Occupational Health Services Recommendation (No. 171).

72nd Session (1986)

Asbestos Convention (No. 162);

Asbestos Recommendation (No. 172).

73rd Session (1987)

The Conference did not adopt any Conventions or Recommendations at this Session.

74th (Maritime) Session (1987)

Seafarers' Welfare Convention (No. 163);

Health Protection and Medical Care (Seafarers) Convention (No. 164);

Social Security (Seafarers) (Revised) Convention (No. 165)

Repatriation of Seafarers (Revised) Convention (No. 166)

Seafarers' Welfare Recommendation (No. 173);

Repatriation of Seafarers Recommendation (No. 174).

75th Session (1988)

Safety and Health in Construction Convention (No. 167);

Employment Promotion and Protection against Unemployment Convention (No. 168);

Safety and Health in Construction Recommendation (No. 175);

Employment Promotion and Protection against Unemployment Recommendation (No. 176).

76th Session (1989)

Indigenous and Tribal Peoples Convention, (No. 169).

77th Session (1990)

Chemicals Convention, (No. 170);

Night Work Convention, (No. 171);

Chemicals Recommendation, (No. 177);

Night Work Recommendation, (No. 178).

78th Session (1991)

Working Conditions (Hotels and Restaurants) Convention (No. 172);

Working Conditions (Hotels and Restaurants) Recommendation (No. 179).

79th Session (1992)

Protection of Workers' Claims (Employers's Insolvency) Convention, 1992 (No. 173)

Protection of Workers' Claims (Employer's Insolvency) Recommendation, 1992 (No. 180)

SUMMARY OF INFORMATION ON THE SUBMISSION TO THE COMPETENT AUTHORITIES OF CONVENTIONS AND RECOMMENDATIONS ADOPTED BY THE INTERNATIONAL LABOUR CONFERENCE AT ITS 79TH SESSION (GENEVA, 1992) AND ADDITIONAL INFORMATION ON THE TEXTS ADOPTED FROM ITS 31ST TO 78TH SESSIONS (1948-1991)

Argentina. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to Congress. The ratification of Convention No. 169 (76th Session) has been authorized and the ratification of Convention No. 173 (79th Session) was approved on 1 December 1993.

Australia. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to Congress on 26 May 1993 and to the Senate on 27 May 1993.

Barbados. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 11 May 1993.

Belarus. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to the Council of Ministers and the Supreme Soviet of the Republic. Conventions Nos. 26 (11th Session), 144 (61st Session) and 150 (64th Session) were ratified on 15 September 1993.

Bolivia. The instruments adopted at the 77th, 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference were submitted to the National Congress.

Burundi. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the competent authority on 23 December 1992. Conventions Nos. 87 (31st Session), 100 (34th Session) and 111 (42nd Session) were ratified on 25 June 1993.

Cape Verde. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the National Assembly.

Côte d'Ivoire. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the National Assembly.

Denmark. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament. Convention No. 163 (74th Session) was ratified on 16 September 1993.

Dominica. Recommendation No. 168 (69th Session) and the instruments adopted at the 76th, 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament.

Egypt. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the People's Assembly on 10 October 1992. Convention No. 118 (46th Session) was ratified on 12 January 1993.

Equatorial Guinea. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the People's House of Representatives.

Ethiopia. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the Council of Representatives. The ratification of Convention No. 155 (67th Session) has been authorized.

Fiji. The instruments adopted at the 75th, 76th, 77th and 78th Sessions of the Conference were submitted to the competent authority in March 1993. The ratification of Convention No. 169 (76th Session) has been authorized.

Finland. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 22 December 1993.

France. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 22 December 1993. The ratification of Convention No. 139 (59th Session) has been authorized.

Gabon. The instruments adopted at the 65th, 66th, 67th, 68th, 69th, 70th, 72nd, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to the National Assembly.

Ghana. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the competent authority on 25 January 1993.

Greece. The instruments adopted at the 76th, 77th and 78th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament. Convention No. 160 (71st Session) was ratified on 17 March 1993. The ratification of Conventions Nos. 171 (77th Session) and 172 (78th Session) has been recommended.

Grenada. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 16 February 1993.

Iceland. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 31 March 1993.

Indonesia. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the House of Representatives on 5 November 1992.

Iran, Islamic Republic of. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament.

Iraq. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the competent authorities on 28 December 1992.

Japan. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 18 June 1993. Convention No. 120 (48th Session) was ratified on 21 June 1993.

Korea, Republic of. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the National Assembly on 23 August 1993. Convention No. 142 (60th Session) was ratified on 21 January 1994.

Kuwait. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the competent authorities.

Lao People's Democratic Republic. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the People's Assembly.

Luxembourg. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the Chamber of Deputies on 11 November 1992.

Mali. The instruments adopted at the 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th and 78th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to the National Assembly.

Malta. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the House of Representatives on 15 February 1993.

Mexico. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to the competent authorities. Convention No. 172 (78th Session) was ratified on 7 June 1993 and Convention No. 173 (79th Session) was ratified on 24 September 1993.

Morocco. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the competent authorities. Convention No. 158 (68th Session) was ratified on 7 October 1993.

Myanmar. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the competent authorities on 14 July 1993.

Namibia. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 11 November 1993.

New Zealand. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the House of Representatives in May 1993.

Nicaragua. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the National Assembly.

Norway. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 7 May 1993. Conventions No. 163 (74th Session) and No. 170 (77th Session) were ratified on 26 November 1993.

Panama. The instruments adopted at the 70th, 71st (Recommendations No. 170 and No. 171), 72nd (Recommendation No. 172), 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th, 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference were submitted to the Legislative Assembly on 25 May 1993. Convention No. 159 was ratified on 28 January 1994. The ratification of Conventions Nos. 163, 164, No. 165 and 166 has been proposed.

Poland. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to Parliament on 15 January 1993. Conventions Nos. 108 (41st Session) and 144 (61st Session) were ratified on 15 March 1993.

Portugal. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the National Assembly. Convention No. 160 (71st Session) was ratified on 22 December 1993.

Russian Federation. The instruments adopted at 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the Supreme Soviet on 30 March 1993.

Rwanda. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to the President of the Republic. The ratification of Convention No. 172 has been proposed.

San Marino. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions have been submitted to the competent authorities.

Saudi Arabia. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the Council of Ministers.

Singapore. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament.

Slovakia. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the competent authorities.

Slovenia. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to the National Assembly.

Sweden. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament.

Togo. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the competent authority in June 1993.

Tunisia. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the Chamber of Deputies on 30 September 1992.

Turkey. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the Grand National Assembly on 23 December 1992. Conventions Nos. 59 (23rd Session), 87 (31st Session), 135 (56th Session), 142 (60th Session), 144 (61st Session) and 151 (64th Session) were ratified on 12 July 1993.

Uganda. The instruments adopted at the 74th, 75th, 76th, 77th and 78th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to the competent authorities. Convention No. 144 (61st Session) was ratified on 13 January 1994.

Ukraine. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the Presidium of the Verchovna Supreme Council and its standing committees on 20 October 1993. Convention No. 133 (55th Session) was ratified on 24 August 1993. Ratification of Convention No. 147 (62nd Session) has been authorized.

United Kingdom. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament.

United States. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference have been submitted to Congress.

Uruguay. The instruments adopted at the 76th, 77th (Convention No. 171 and Recommendation No. 178), 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament.

Viet Nam. The instruments adopted at the 79th Session of the Conference were submitted to the National Assembly on 25 March 1993.

Zimbabwe. The instruments adopted at the 78th and 79th Sessions of the Conference have been submitted to Parliament. Conventions Nos. 26 (11th Session), 81 (30th Session), 99 (34th Session) and 129 (53rd Session) were ratified on 16 September 1993.

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